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Amendments to the Specification

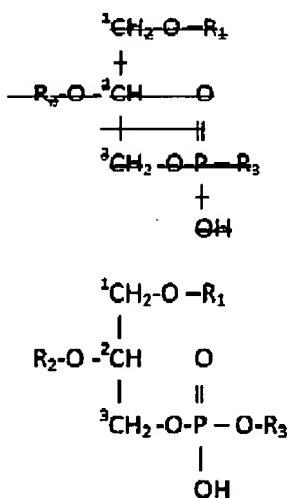
Please add the following new paragraph at page 1 line 2 of the application (immediately after the Title):

Cross-Reference to Related Applications

This application is a national stage entry of PCT Application No. PCT/EP00/00597, filed January 26, 2000, which claims priority from European Patent Application No. EP 99101479, filed January 27, 1999.

Please replace the paragraph occurring at page 15 line 4 to page 16 line 2 as filed with the following paragraph:

Typically, the less soluble amongst the aggregating substances forming a carrier is a lipid or lipid-like material, especially a polar lipid, whereas the substance which is more soluble in the suspending liquid and which increases the droplet adaptability belongs to surfactants or else has surfactant-like properties. The former ingredient, typically, is a lipid or lipid-like material from a biological source or a corresponding synthetic lipid or any of its modifications, such lipid often belonging to the class of pure phospholipids with the chemical formula



where R_1 and R_2 is an aliphatic chain, typically a C_{10-20} -acyl, or -alkyl or partly unsaturated fatty acid residue, in particular, an oleoyl-, palmitoyleoyl-, elaidoyl-, linoleyl-, linolenyl-, linolenoyl-, arachidoyl-, vaccinylyl-, lauroyl-, myristoyl-, palmitoyl-, and stearoyl chain, and where R_3 is hydrogen, 2-trimethylamino-1-ethyl, 2-amino-1-ethyl, C_{1-4} -alkyl, C_{1-5} -alkyl substituted with carboxy, C_{2-5} -alkyl substituted with hydroxy, C_{2-5} -alkyl substituted with carboxy and hydroxy, or C_{2-5} -alkyl substituted with carboxy and amino, inositol, sphingosine, or salts of said substances, said lipid comprising also glycerides, isoprenoid lipids, steroids, sterines or sterols, of sulphur- or carbohydrate-containing lipids, or any other bilayer forming lipids, in particular half-protonated fluid fatty acids, and preferably is selected from the group of phosphatidylcholines, phosphatidylethanolamines, phosphatidylglycerols, phosphatidylinositols, phosphatidic acids, phosphatidylserines, sphingomyelins or other

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sphingophospholipids, glycosphingolipids (including cerebroside, ceramidepolyhexosides, sulphatides, sphingoplasmalogens), gangliosides or other glycolipids or synthetic lipids, in particular with or else with corresponding sphingosine derivatives, or any other glycolipids, whereby two similar or different chains can be esterified to the backbone (as in diacyl and dialkenoyl compound) or be attached to the backbone with ether bonds, as in dialkyl-lipids.